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8 December 1950

Chief of Station, Karlsruhe

Chief of Station, Vienna

Liaison with Austrian Government

Operational

Name checks on German residing in Munich

1. An Austrian official with whom we maintain liaison has asked us for information about the following vaguely described Germans:

WILHELM SCHNEIDER, alias Dr. SCHNEIDER, former assistant to Obergruppenführer ROSE in Italy, now living in Munich.

CHRISTOPHER (fau), now living in Munich.

LOTHAR TRAUTS, former head of the ZIPO in Belgrade, now living in Munich.

STUDENMAIER (fau), alias ROSENER, now living in Munich.

Dr. POLY (fau), formerly with the German diplomatic service in South America, now living in Munich.

2. We strongly suspect that our Austrian official believes these men are working for German intelligence, and we do not expect to pass any information that might jeopardize your operations. Our main object in making this request is to try to determine the reasons for Austrian interest in these men, and we would appreciate any information on them you are able to dig up.

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